

# **FISCAL NOTE**

## **HJR 155**

March 14, 2007

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Requires the State Capitol Commission to initiate the creation of sculpture of the bust of the first African-American who served in the Tennessee General Assembly to be displayed on the second floor of the State Capitol by 2010. Requires funding of the bust by specific state appropriation or private donation. Authorizes the State Capitol Commission to request the Tennessee Arts Commission to sponsor a contest to select an artist to design the sculpture.

### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

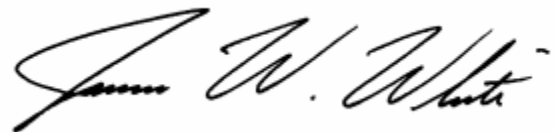
#### **Increase State Expenditures - \$40,000 One-Time**

Assumptions:

- A bronze bust measuring four feet would cost \$35,000 including fabrication of bronze bust, stone base, inscription, and installation.
- The Tennessee Arts Commission may need to design, print, and mail notices and other materials to sponsor a contest to solicit entries for the selection of a sculpture and expenses are estimated to be \$5,000.
- Any other administrative costs for sponsoring the contest can be absorbed using existing resources of the Tennessee Arts Commission.

### **CERTIFICATION:**

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



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